

## Weekly UI Data Report for the week ending July 22, 2006

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UI Data Summary			
	This Year	Last Year	% Difference
Initial Claims	6,763	6,619	2.2%
Continued Claims	58,415	59,286	-1.5%
Total Claims	65,178	65,905	-1.1%
State & Federal Benefits	\$12,905,635	\$12,810,017	0.7%
Exhaustions	1,428	1,231	16.0%

- This report contains UI data for the week ending 07/22/06, the previous week, 07/15/06, and the same week a year ago, 07/23/05. Initial, Continued, and Total Claims are for UI, UCFE, and UCX combined.
- There were 6,763 Initial Claims for the week. This represented a decrease of 6,198 (-47.8%) when compared to the previous week. When compared to the same week last year, there was an increase of 144 (2.2%).
- Three of the local offices reported an increase in Initial Claims. The remaining 25 local offices reported a decrease. The Hammond local office had the largest increase in Initial Claims with 138 (+42.5%). The Elkhart local office had the largest decrease in Initial Claims with 2,309 (-80.1%).
- This week Total Claims were at 65,178. Total Claims were down 4,742 (-6.8%) when compared to last week. When compared to the same week last year, Total Claims were down 727 (-1.1%).
- There were 58,415 Continued Claims this week. When compared to last week, Continued Claims were up 1,456 (2.6%). When compared to last year, Continued Claims were down 871 (-1.5%).
- The percentage of Continued Claims filed over the Internet was 57.6%. The percentage from the same week last year was 50.3%. The percentage of Initial Claims filed over the Internet was 39.9%. The percentage from the same week last year was 34.5%.
- State and Federal Benefits totaled \$12,905,635 for the week. When compared to the previous week, benefits were up 8.9%. Benefits were up 0.7% when compared to the same week a year ago.
- This week a total of 1,428 UI intrastate claimants exhausted their benefits. This represented an increase of 92 (6.9%) when compared to the prior week. When compared to the same week last year, this represented an increase of 197 (16.0%).

- The average number of non-supervisory hours worked in June 2006 was 41.8. This resulted in a decrease of 0.4 hours when compared to the revised value for May 2006. When compared to June 2005, this was an increase of 0.3 hours.

- The top ten local offices with the largest number of Total Claims are listed below. Together they accounted for 58.8% of the Total Claims load for the state.

Current Week 07/22/06			Previous Week 07/15/06		
1	Elkhart	6,028	1	Elkhart	8,978
2	Indpls. Eastside	4,957	2	Indpls. Eastside	5,032
3	Fort Wayne	4,477	3	South Bend	4,440
4	Indpls. Westside	4,264	4	Fort Wayne	4,411
5	South Bend	4,075	5	Indpls. Westside	4,344
6	Kokomo	3,403	6	Kokomo	3,661
7	Auburn	3,390	7	Auburn	3,641
8	Muncie	2,660	8	Muncie	2,888
9	Evansville	2,614	9	Shelbyville	2,828
10	Shelbyville	2,557	10	Evansville	2,674
Total		38,425	Total		42,897

- The top ten local offices with the largest decrease in Total Claims are listed below. Only one local office reported a decrease the previous week.

Current Week 07/22/06			Previous Week 07/15/06		
1	Elkhart	-2,950	1	Connersville	-30
2	South Bend	-365			
3	Shelbyville	-271			
4	Kokomo	-258			
5	Auburn	-251			
6	Muncie	-228			
7	LaPorte	-164			
8	Marion	-100			
9	Bedford	-89			
10	Indpls. Westside	-80			
Total		-4,756	Total		-30